Liber B.L.C. dred Pounds of Tobacco, and the Salary of Five per Centum to the Sheriff for collecting the same, at three equal Assessments, which said Sum of Thirty seven thousand one hundred Pounds of Tobacco shall be collected by the Sheriff of the said County, in the same Manner as other public Dues are collected, and shall be by him paid to the Vestry and Church-Wardens of the said Parish for the Time [How being, who are hereby authorized and impowered to apply the same to repairing and enlarging the said Church, in such Manner as to them shall seem most necessary and convenient, and to no other Use or Purpose whatsoever; Any Law, Statute, Usage or Custom to the Contrary notwithstanding.

June 4th 1748
Read & Assented to by
the Lower House of Assembly
Signed p Order
M. Macnemara Ct. lo. ho.

On behalf of the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of this Province I will this be a Law Sam: Ogle 4<sup>th</sup> June 1748 Read & Assented to by the Upper House of Assembly Signed p Order J. Ross Ct. Up. Ho.

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No. 9 An Act relating to that Part of King and Queen Parish which lyes in Charles County, and was lately severed by the Death of the Reverend Mr. John Donaldson.

Whereas by an Act of Assembly lately passed at a Session of [Preamble.] Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, the First Day of May, Seventeen hundred and forty four, it was among other Things enacted, "That the County of St. Mary's should be divided into four Parishes, to become such on the Death or Removal of the then several Incumbents:" And whereas at that Time a Part of Charles County was held as Part of King and Queen Parish, and the whole enjoyed by the said Mr. Donaldson; and it was also thereby enacted, That after the Death or Removal of the said Mr. Donaldson, and the Reverend Mr. Urquhart, the then present Minister of All-Faith Parish, then lying in said St. Mary's and Charles Counties, those Parts of the said two Parishes should become one, and called by the Name of Trinity Parish: And whereas the said Mr. Donaldson is lately dead, living the said Mr. Urquhart, whereby that Part of Charles County, which was in King and Queen, is at present without the Bounds of any Parish, and hath not any Vestrymen or Church-Wardens, altho' there is by Law a Warehouse established to be therein. And forasmuch as many of the principal Inhabitants of that Part of Charles County which was lately in King and Queen Parish, have, by their humble Petition to this General Assembly, set forth the before mentioned Facts, and prayed that an Act might pass to enable them to choose Vestrymen and Church-Wardens for the due Execution of the Inspection-Law, and other Parish Purposes, which is thought reasonable to be granted: